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In response to the Office Action dated February 8, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend the following claims:

Please cancel claims 2 and 8.

- B1 9. (Twice Amended) The method of claim 6 wherein said expression vector further comprises a gene encoding a transfer molecule such as glutathione-S-transferase.

Please cancel claims 11-19.

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